

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
CHARLOTTESVILLE DIVISION**

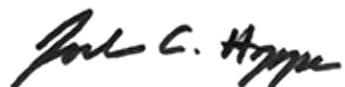
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BABY DOE, A CITIZEN OF AFGHANISTAN :
CURRENTLY RESIDING IN NORTH :
CAROLINA, BY AND THROUGH NEXT : CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:22-CV-49
FRIENDS, JOHN AND JANE DOE;AND JOHN :
AND JANE DOE, CITIZENS OF AFGHANISTAN:
AND LEGAL GUARDIANS OF BABY DOE, :
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Plaintiffs, :
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v. :
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JOSHUA MAST, STEPHANIE MAST, RICHARD :
MAST, KIMBERLEY MOTLEY, AND AHMAD :
OSMANI, :
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Defendants, :
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and :
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UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF STATE :
ANTONY BLINKEN AND UNITED STATES :
SECRETARY OF DEFENSE GENERAL :
LLOYD AUSTIN, :
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Nominal Defendants. :
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**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO SEAL EXHIBITS 1-5
TO PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT RICHARD MAST'S MOTION AND
MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF ORDER DIRECTING CLERK TO REQUEST
INFORMATION HELD BY A VIRGINIA CIRCUIT COURT**

Having considered Plaintiff's Motion, and Memorandum of Law in Support of Motion, to
Seal Exhibits 1-5 to Plaintiffs' Opposition to Defendant Richard Mast's Motion and
Memorandum in Support of Order Directing Clerk to Request Information Held by a Virginia

Circuit Court, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 9, and for good cause shown, and the requirements of Local Civil Rule 9(b), and the decisions in *Ashcraft v. Conoco, Inc.*, 218 F.3d 288 (4th Cir. 2000), *In re Knight Publishing Co.*, 743 F.2d 231 (4th Cir. 1984), and *Stone v. Univ. of Maryland*, 855 F.2d 178 (4th Cir. 1988) having been met, it is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion, ECF No. 184, is granted. It is further ORDERED that Exhibits 1-5 Plaintiffs' Opposition to Defendant Richard Mast's Motion and Memorandum in Support of Order Directing Clerk to Request Information Held by a Virginia Circuit Court is filed under seal.

Entered this 16th day of March, 2023.



Judge